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Hon. Kenneth M. Karas United States District Court Southern District Court of New York 308 Quarropas Street White Plains, New York 10601-4150

Re: Torres v. Town of Wallkill et al.

Civil Docket No.: 07-CV-8441

Dear Hon. Karas:

This letter is being forwarded as a follow up to the pre-motion conference on December 5, 2007. I have recently spoken with my client and he is agreeable to this matter remaining in Federal Court. Thus, the application for the motion to remand this matter to State Court is withdrawn.

In light of the above, it is respectfully requested that this matter be scheduled for a discovery conference. Thank you for your attention to this matter

Very_i truly yours,

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